

REMARKS

For the convenience of the Examiner set forth below is a recapitulation of the current status of the Claims in the present Application

CLAIMS	STATUS	DEPENDENC
1	Canceled	—
2	Canceled	—
3	Canceled	—
4	Canceled	—
5	Canceled	—
6	Canceled	—
7	Canceled	—
8	Canceled	—
9	Canceled	—
10	Canceled	—
11	Canceled	—
12	Canceled	—
13	Canceled	—
14	Canceled	—
15	Previously submitted (allowed)	Independent
16	Previously submitted (allowed)	Independent
17	Currently amended	Independent

Comments of Primary Examiner John A. RICCI have been reviewed carefully along with pertinent sections of the Patent Act, Patent Rules, the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, legal treatises and relevant decisional law. In accordance with Examiner RICCI's requirements, allowance of the Application as amended, is solicited earnestly.

The Examiner has stated:

Claims 15 and 16 are allowed. Claim 17 would be allowable if amended to overcome the rejection under 35 USC 112.

Accordingly, Claim 17 has been amended. The word "the" has been cancelled and the term "socket" has been changed to "tool" thereby providing proper antecedent basis.

No new matter has been added. It is believed that new Claim 17 as amended is patentable.

The status of the Claims is as follows:

Claim 15 and 16 have been allowed.

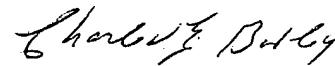
Claim 17 has been amended.

Claims 1-14 have been canceled.

In view of the foregoing amendments, submission and explanations, it is believed that the application is in condition for allowance. An early Notice of Allowance on the Application will be appreciated.

Courtesy, cooperation and skill of Primary Examiner John A. RICCI are appreciated and acknowledged.

Respectfully,



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